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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Douglas I. Lovison for HAND GRIP EXERCISE SYSTEM, comprising ten (10) pages of specification and claims, and a signed Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition.

Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

Enclosed also are:

 $\underline{\text{two}}$  (2) sheets of drawings.

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